



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
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Applicants : Atsushi YABE et al  
For : ELECTROLESS COPPER PLATING METHOD  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed October 20, 2008 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 5 and 6.

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